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ONLINE METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR FULLFILLING NEEDS RESULTING FROM PROPERTY AND OTHER SIMILAR LOSSES

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2008, in the above-identified patent application is due October 31, 2008. Accordingly, the present amendment and response are deemed to be timely filed. Should there be any fees due and owing with respect to this response, the Office is authorized to charge such fees to deposit account no. 50-3208. Please enter the following remarks.

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